Table 4.27B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older, Persons Aged 12 or Older At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 12 or Older: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2003 and 2004

	NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) ¹		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL POPULATION ¹		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION ^{1,2}		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS ¹	
Substance	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004
ILLICIT DRUG ³	2,627	2,784	1.1	1.2	2.0	2.1	7.5	8.0
Marijuana and Hashish	1,973	2,142	0.8	0.9	1.4	1.5	7.8	8.4
Cocaine	986	998	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	16.7	17.6
Crack	269	215	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	19.1	16.5
Heroin	92	118	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	*	29.6
Hallucinogens	886	934	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	22.5	24.1
LSD	200	235	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	35.6	39.7
PCP	105	106	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	48.1	*
Ecstasy	642	607	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	29.9	31.7
Inhalants	871	857	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	41.9	38.0
Nonmedical Use of							2	40.4
Psychotherapeutics ⁴	2,583	2,836	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.5	17.2 ^a	19.4
Pain Relievers	2,456	2,422	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.1	21.0	21.5
OxyContin [®]		615		0.3		0.3		50.7
Tranquilizers	1,071	1,180	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	21.2	23.3
Stimulants	715	793	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	26.0	27.2
Methamphetamine	260	318	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	19.7	22.1
Sedatives	194	240	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	23.3	32.5
ILLICIT DRUG OTHER								
THAN MARIJUANA ³	2,523	2,664	1.1	1.1	1.5	1.5	12.4	13.5
CIGARETTES	1,983	2,122	0.8	0.9	2.6	2.6	2.8	3.0
Daily Cigarette Use ⁵	1,064	1,101	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.7		
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	928	999	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	9.0	10.2
CIGARS	2,736 ^a	3,058	1.2	1.3	1.8	2.0	10.8	11.8
ALCOHOL	$4,082^{a}$	4,396	1.7	1.8	9.2	9.4	2.6	2.8

^{*}Low precision, no estimate reported.

⁻⁻ Not available.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used the substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.

² At Risk for Initiation is defined as persons who did not use the substance(s) in their lifetime or used the substance(s) for the first time in the past year.

³ Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

⁴ Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.

⁵ Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

Table 4.28B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 to 17, Persons Aged 12 to 17 At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2003 and 2004

	NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) ¹		YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION ^{1,2}		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS ¹	
Substance	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004
ILLICIT DRUG ³	1,562	1,487	6.2	5.9	8.3	7.8	28.6	28.1
Marijuana and Hashish	1,219	1,252	4.9	5.0	5.7	5.8	32.5	34.2
Cocaine	282	274	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	64.3	66.7
Crack	76 ^a	42	0.3^{a}	0.2	0.3ª	0.2	*	*
Heroin	25	31	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	*	*
Hallucinogens	417	437	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	53.5	58.0
LSD	96	99	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	64.1	62.8
PCP	59	43	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	*	*
Ecstasy	219	225	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	66.4	72.7
Inhalants Nonmedical Use of	600	603	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.6	53.5	51.6
Psychotherapeutics ⁴	913	980	3.7	3.9	4.0	4.3	39.9 ^a	44.1
Pain Relievers	890	908	3.6	3.6	3.9	3.9	46.3	48.7
OxyContin [®]		141		0.6		0.6		72.8
Tranquilizers	319	310	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3	54.5	58.3
Stimulants	292	271	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.1	51.4	54.7
Methamphetamine	107	99	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	61.8	60.6
Sedatives	66	66	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	50.3	49.6
ILLICIT DRUG OTHER								
THAN MARIJUANA ³	1,205	1,171	4.8	4.6	5.8	5.6	36.0	35.8
CIGARETTES	1,226	1,294	4.9	5.1	6.6	6.8	25.9	27.9
Daily Cigarette Use ⁵	439	417	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.7		
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	487	447	1.9	1.8	2.1	1.9	47.0^{a}	41.2
CIGARS	1,163	1,246	4.7	4.9	5.2	5.5	46.8	48.5
ALCOHOL	2,593	2,743	10.4	10.9	15.4	15.8	30.2	32.1

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⁻⁻ Not available.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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² At Risk for Initiation is defined as persons who did not use the substance(s) in their lifetime or used the substance(s) for the first time in the past year.

³ Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

⁴ Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.

⁵ Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

Table 4.29B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 18 to 25, Persons Aged 18 to 25 At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 18 to 25: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2003 and 2004

	NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) ¹		YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION ^{1,2}		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS ¹	
Substance	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004
ILLICIT DRUG ³	742	818	2.3	2.5	5.6	5.9	6.8	7.5
Marijuana and Hashish	666	714	2.1	2.2	4.4	4.5	7.4	8.0
Cocaine	576	592	1.8	1.8	2.1	2.1	27.5	27.7
Crack	109	120	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	39.8	45.8
Heroin	42	46	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	*	*
Hallucinogens	425	412	1.3	1.3	1.7	1.6	20.1	21.2
LSD	98	112	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	28.9	35.3
PCP	41	49	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	*	*
Ecstasy	337	303	1.1	0.9	1.2	1.1	28.9	30.4
Inhalants Nonmedical Use of	247	225	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.8	37.4	33.4
Psychotherapeutics ⁴	962	945	3.0	2.9	4.1	4.0	20.8	19.9
Pain Relievers	930	830	2.9	2.6	3.7	3.3	24.3	21.6
OxyContin [®]		290		0.9		0.9		51.6
Tranquilizers	457	422	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.5	27.2	25.5
Stimulants	240 ^b	344	0.8^{b}	1.1	0.8^{b}	1.2	21.5 ^b	29.1
Methamphetamine	92 ^a	139	0.3^{a}	0.4	0.3^{a}	0.5	18.2 ^a	27.0
Sedatives	42	53	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	26.5	32.5
ILLICIT DRUG OTHER		20.7						
THAN MARIJUANA ³	823	885	2.6	2.7	4.2	4.3	13.0	14.3
CIGARETTES	659	765	2.1	2.4	6.5	7.1	4.4	5.0
Daily Cigarette Use ⁵	474	566	1.5	1.8	2.3	2.6		
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	353 ^a	432	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.7	14.2	16.8
CIGARS	1,055	1,199	3.3	3.7	5.7	6.2	14.6	15.5
ALCOHOL	1,430	1,484	4.5	4.6	25.8	25.0	5.8	5.9

^{*}Low precision, no estimate reported.

⁻⁻ Not available.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used the substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.

² At Risk for Initiation is defined as persons who did not use the substance(s) in their lifetime or used the substance(s) for the first time in the past year.

³ Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

⁴ Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.

⁵ Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

Table 4.30B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 26 or Older, Persons Aged 26 or Older At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 26 or Older: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2003 and 2004

	NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) ¹		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL POPULATION ¹		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION ^{1,2}		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS ¹	
Substance	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004
ILLICIT DRUG ³	324	479	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.5	1.7	2.6
Marijuana and Hashish	88	176	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.6	1.4
Cocaine	128	133	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	3.8	4.3
Crack	83	53	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.1	5.4
Heroin	25	40	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	*	*
Hallucinogens	44	85	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	4.2	7.2
LSD	*	24	*	0.0	*	0.0	*	*
PCP	*	14	*	0.0	*	0.0	*	*
Ecstasy	86	78	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	*	*
Inhalants Nonmedical Use of	24	29	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	*	*
Psychotherapeutics ⁴	708	911	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	8.7	11.9
Pain Relievers	636	684	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	10.7	12.3
OxyContin [®]		183		0.1		0.1		*
Tranquilizers	295 ^a	448	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	10.6	15.6
Stimulants	183	178	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	17.1	14.3
Methamphetamine	61	80	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	*	10.5
Sedatives	86	121	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	*	*
ILLICIT DRUG OTHER								
THAN MARIJUANA ³	496	608	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	4.6	6.0
CIGARETTES	98	63	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
Daily Cigarette Use ⁵	150	118	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1		
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	88	121	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	1.3	2.0
CIGARS	518	614	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.5	3.3	3.9
ALCOHOL	60	169	0.0	0.1	0.3	0.7	0.0	0.1

^{*}Low precision, no estimate reported.

⁻⁻ Not available.

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¹ Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used the substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.

² At Risk for Initiation is defined as persons who did not use the substance(s) in their lifetime or used the substance(s) for the first time in the past year.

³ Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

⁴ Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.

⁵ Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

Table 4.31A Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Gender: Numbers in Thousands, 2003 and 2004

		NUN	MBER OF PAST YE	CAR INITIATES (1,	$000s)^{1}$	
	Total		M	I ale	Fer	nale
Substance	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004
ILLICIT DRUG ²	2,627	2,784	1,137	1,173	1,490	1,611
Marijuana and Hashish	1,973	2,142	929	918	1,044 ^a	1,224
Cocaine	986	998	548	590	438	408
Crack	269	215	135	102	134	112
Heroin	92	118	59	61	33	56
Hallucinogens	886	934	480	506	406	427
LSD	200	235	123	141	76	94
PCP	105	106	59	55	46	51
Ecstasy	642	607	328	336	314	271
Inhalants	871	857	457	434	414	422
Nonmedical Use of						
Psychotherapeutics ³	2,583	2,836	995	1,189	1,588	1,648
Pain Relievers	2,456	2,422	1,007	1,093	1,448	1,329
OxyContin [®]		615		339		276
Tranquilizers	1,071	1,180	415	452	656	729
Stimulants	715	793	272	341	442	452
Methamphetamine	260	318	130	142	129	176
Sedatives	194	240	66	79	128	160
ILLICIT DRUG OTHER						
THAN MARIJUANA ²	2,523	2,664	1,083	1,224	1,441	1,439
CIGARETTES	1,983	2,122	919	973	1,063	1,150
Daily Cigarette Use ⁴	1,064	1,101	483 ^a	594	581	507
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	928	999	708	727	220	272
CIGARS	$2,736^{a}$	3,058	1,482	1,589	1,254 ^a	1,469
ALCOHOL	$4,082^{a}$	4,396	1,827	1,985	2,255	2,411

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⁻⁻ Not available.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used the substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.

⁴ Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

Table 4.32A Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older Who Initiated Use Prior to the Age of 18, by Gender: Numbers in Thousands, 2003 and 2004

		NUN	MBER OF PAST YE	CAR INITIATES (1,	$(000s)^1$	
	Total		M	Tale	Fer	nale
Substance	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004
ILLICIT DRUG ²	1,699	1,617	781	763	919	854
Marijuana and Hashish	1,330	1,367	603	642	728	725
Cocaine	341	341	162	179	179	162
Crack	86	67	36	31	49	35
Heroin	28	35	14	20	15	16
Hallucinogens	467	483	209	239	258	244
LSD	114	119	57	69	57	50
PCP	63	48	32	22	31	27
Ecstasy	244	257	101	111	143	146
Inhalants	665	643	321	323	344	319
Nonmedical Use of						
Psychotherapeutics ³	1,036	1,097	469	476	567	622
Pain Relievers	1,020	1,018	474	446	546	572
OxyContin [®]		165		83		82
Tranquilizers	366	348	153	137	213	212
Stimulants	308	301	127	120	182	182
Methamphetamine	111	112	49	42	62	70
Sedatives	73	74	35	30	38	44
ILLICIT DRUG OTHER						
THAN MARIJUANA ²	1,325	1,293	629	608	696	685
CIGARETTES	1,352	1,438	628	645	724	793
Daily Cigarette Use ⁴	526	545	249	257	278	287
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	544	495	440	378	104	117
CIGARS	1,297	1,409	752	782	545	627
ALCOHOL	2,819	3,002	1,282	1,411	1,537	1,590

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⁻⁻ Not available.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level. ^b Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used the substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

³ Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.

⁴ Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

Table 4.33A Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older Who Initiated Use Prior to the Age of 21, by Gender: Numbers in Thousands, 2003 and 2004

		NUN	MBER OF PAST YE	CAR INITIATES (1,0	$(0.00)^{1}$	
Substance	Total		N	Tale	Female	
	2003	2004	2003	2004	2003	2004
ILLICIT DRUG ²	2,126	2,128	970	955	1,156	1,173
Marijuana and Hashish	1,744	1,858	808	845	936	1,012
Cocaine	662	681	363	396	299	285
Crack	146	122	76	66	69	55
Heroin	49	56	30	33	19	23
Hallucinogens	756	731	392	398	364	334
LSD	174	185	102	109	72	75
PCP	92	75	51	44	41	31
Ecstasy	461	428	213	219	248	209
Inhalants	791	779	412	401	379	378
Nonmedical Use of						
Psychotherapeutics ³	1,544	1,621	701	703	843	917
Pain Relievers	1,495	1,457	706	661	789	797
OxyContin [®]		306		163		143
Tranquilizers	582	545	253	229	329	316
Stimulants	453	526	203	206	250 ^a	320
Methamphetamine	166	175	90	71	76	104
Sedatives	91	97	43	42	48	55
ILLICIT DRUG OTHER						
THAN MARIJUANA ²	1,766	1,778	842	849	924	929
CIGARETTES	1,758	1,928	824	897	934	1,030
Daily Cigarette Use ⁴	808	887	398	471	410	417
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	750	767	593	585	157	182
CIGARS	1,964 ^a	2,179	1,157	1,234	807 ^a	945
ALCOHOL	3,644	3,818	1,660	1,790	1,984	2,028

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⁻⁻ Not available.

^a Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level. ^b Difference between estimate and 2004 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used the substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.

² Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

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⁴ Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.